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INTRODUCTION

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The General Subject Index, which follows the list of data bases, is arranged alphabetically by broad subject categories with references to the corresponding data bases.

The Cross Reference Index lists variant forms of the names of the data bases in the left hand column with cross references to the name of the data bases used in this report on the right.

Data bases listed are available for searching at the NBS Library. The first search performed by the Library for an NBS employee is at no cost to his or her division. Thereafter, however, a cost center number will be requested for appropriate charges for each search. An average computer search on Chemical Abstracts through SDC, for example, would cost approximately $20.00.

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Scotia, New York 12302
(518) 374-5011

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Corona, California 91720
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3251 Hanover Street
Palo Alto, California 94304
(800) 227-1960

NEW YORK TIMES - New York Times
The Information Bank
Mt. Pleasant Office Park
1719A Route 10
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054
(201) 539-5850

NLM - MEDLARS Management Section
Bibliographic Services Division
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Bethesda, Maryland 20014
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Santa Monica, California 90406
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T - Control Data TECHNOTEC
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AIM/ARM (ABSTRACTS OF INSTRUCTIONAL AND RESEARCH MATERIALS) 1967-	Literature Coverage of Vocational and Technical Education, Manpower Economics, Employment, etc./ Instructional Materials	The Center for Vocational Education, Ohio State University ABSTRACTS OF INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS IN VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION	L

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APIPAT (AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE PATENTS) 1964-	Patents on Refining from the U.S. and Nine other Countries/ Patents	American Petroleum Inst. API PATENT ALERT	S
APTIC (AIR POLLUTION TECHNICAL INFORMATION CENTER) 1966-	Worldwide Literature on Air Pollution, it's Prevention and Control/ Journals, Monographs, Proceedings, Patents, Government Reports	Air Pollution Technical Information Center AIR POLLUTION ABSTRACTS	L

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ART MODERN 1974-	Literature of Modern Art and Design from 1800 to the Present/ Journals, Dissertations, Exhibition Catalogues, Books	ABC-Clio, Inc. ART BIBLIOGRAPHIES MODERN	L
ASFA (AQUATIC SCIENCES AND FISHERIES ABSTRACTS) 1975-	Comprehensive Literature on the Life Sciences of Seas and Inland Waters; Marine and Fresh Water/ Journals	FAO and the International Governmental Commission of UNESCO AQUATIC SCIENCES AND FISHERIES ABSTRACTS	L
ASI (AMERICAN STATISTICS INDEX) 1973-	Statistical Publications of the Federal Government with Emphasis on Environmental, Economic and Social Aspects/ Journals, Reports, Statistics	Congressional Information Service, Inc. AMERICAN STATISTICS INDEX	S
AVLINE (AUDIOVISUAL CATALOG ON-LINE) Current	Bibliographic Information Concerning Audiovisual Materials in the Health Sciences/ Films, Videotapes, Slides, Recordings	National Library of Medicine NLM's AUDIOVISUAL CATALOG	NLM

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BIOSIS PREVIEWS 1969-	Worldwide Literature of the Life Sciences/ Journals, Reports, Reviews, Symposia	BioSciences Information Service BIOLOGICAL ABSTRACTS, BIORESEARCH INDEX	B,L,S
CA PATENT CONCORDANCE 1972-	Chemically Related Patents from Twenty-Six Countries; Correlates Patents Issued by Different Countries for the Same Invention/ Patents	American Chemical Society CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS PATENT CONCORDANCE	L
CAB ABSTRACTS (COMMONWEALTH AGRICULTURAL BUREAUX) 1973-	Comprehensive Literature in Agriculture and Biology/ Journals, Monographs, Reports, Patents	Commonwealth Agricultural Bureaux, England COMMONWEALTH AGRICULTURAL BUREAUX, JOINT PUBLICATIONS	L
CANCERLIT (CANCER LITERATURE) 1963-	Articles Related to all Aspects of Cancer/ Journals, Reviews, Proceedings, Government Reports	National Cancer Inst. CANCER THERAPY ABSTRACTS, CARCINOGENESIS ABSTRACTS	NLM

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CATLINE (CATALOG ON-LINE) 1965-	Listing of all Monographs and Serials Cataloged since 1965 at the National Library of Medicine/ Monographs, Serials	National Library of Medicine CURRENT CATALOG	NLM
CBPI (CANADIAN BUSINESS PERIODICALS INDEX) 1975-	Literature Dealing with Industry in the Canadian Environment/ Journals, Newspapers	Information Access of Toronto CANADIAN BUSINESS PERIODICALS INDEX	S
CDI (COMPREHENSIVE DISSERTATION INDEX) 1861-	Listing of Dissertations Granted by U.S. Universities and other Countries/ Dissertations	University Microfilms International DISSERTATION ABSTRACTS INTERNATIONAL, AMERICAN DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS	B,L,S

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CHEMDEX 1972-	Compound-Oriented File Containing Registry Numbers, Molecular Formulas, and Nomenclatures/ —	Chemical Abstracts Service —	S
CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS 1970-	Worldwide Literature in Chemistry and Chemical Engineering/ Journals, Books, Reviews, Patents	American Chemical Society CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS	B,L,S
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CIN (CHEMICAL INDUSTRY NOTES) 1974-	Business-Oriented Literature in the Chemical Industry/ Journals	American Chemical Society and Predicasts, Inc. CHEMICAL INDUSTRY NOTES	L,S
CIS INDEX (CONGRESSIONAL INFORMATION SERVICE) 1970-	Index and Abstracts of U.S. Congressional Publications/ Hearings, Reports, Documents	Congressional Information Service CIS INDEX	S
CLAIMS/CHEM 1950-	Listing of U.S. Chemical and Chemically Related Patents, Plus Foreign Equivalents to U.S. Patents/ Patents	IFI/Plenum Data Co. UNITERM INDEX TO U.S. CHEMICAL PATENTS, 1950-	L

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CLAIMS/GEM 1975-	Information Concerning General, Mechanical, and Electrical U.S. Patents/ Patents	IFI/Plenum Data Co. U.S. OFFICIAL GAZETTE	L
CLINPROT (CLINCIAL PROTOCOLS) Current	Summaries of Clinical Investigations on New Anticancer Agents and Treatment/ On-Going Research	National Cancer Institute -	NLM
CNI (CANADIAN NEWSPAPER INDEX) 1977-	Comprehensive Index to Events and People in the News in Canada/ Newspapers	Information Access of Toronto CANADIAN NEWSPAPER INDEX	S

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CONFERENCE PAPERS 1973-	Scientific and Technical Papers Presented at Conferences/ Proceedings	Data Courier, Inc. -	S
CRECORD (CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ABSTRACTS) 1976-	Comprehensive Legislative Information from CONGRESSIONAL RECORD/ Bills, Amendments, Speeches, Floor Actions	Capitol Services, Inc. CONGRESSIONAL RECORD ABSTRACTS	S
CRIS (CURRENT RESEARCH INFORMATION SYSTEM) 1974-	USDA and State-Sponsored Research in Agriculture and Related Sciences/ Research Projects	USDA Cooperative State Research Service -	L

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ECER (EXCEPTIONAL CHILD EDUCATION RESOURCES) 1966-	Published and Unpublished Literature on Education of Handicapped and Gifted Children/ Journals, Monographs, Reports	Council for Exceptional Children EXCEPTIONAL CHILD EDUCATION ABSTRACTS	B,L
EDB (DOE ENERGY DATA BASE) 1974-	International Literature on Energy and Related Fields/ Scientific and Technical Reports, Books, Proceedings, Patents	Department of Energy - Technical Information Center -	R
EIS INDUSTRIAL PLANTS Current	U.S. Mining and Manufacturing Locations and Pertinent Industrial Data/ Reports, Trade Publications, Directories	Economic Information Systems, Inc. -	L

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ENERGYLINE 1971-	Comprehensive Coverage of Aspects of Energy and Environment/ Journals, Reports, Monographs, Hearings	Environment Information Center ENERGY INFORMATION ABSTRACTS, ENVIRONMENT ABSTRACTS	L,S
ENVIROLINE (ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES INDEX) 1971-	Worldwide Coverage of Literature in Environmental Studies/ Journals, News Releases, Reports, Patents, Films	Environment Information Center, Inc. ENVIRONMENT ABSTRACTS	L,S
EPB (ENVIRONMENTAL PERIODICALS BIBLIOGRAPHY) 1973-	Literature of General Human Ecology, Atmospheric Studies Energy, Land and Water Resources, Health and Nutrition/ Journals	Environmental Studies Institute ENVIRONMENTAL PERIODICALS BIBLIOGRAPHY	L

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ERD - RIP (ENERGY R&D PROJECTS) 1973- RIP (RESEARCH IN PROGRESS) 1975-	Current U.S. Energy-Related Research Covering all Energy Sources/ Technical Reports	Oak Ridge National Laboratory INVENTORY OF ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT: 1973-1975	R
ERIC (EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES INFORMATION CENTER) 1966-	Literature in Education, Social Sciences, and Educational-Related Areas/ Journals, Research Reports, Ephemera	Educational Resources Information Center RESEARCH IN EDUCATION, CURRENT INDEX TO JOURNALS IN EDUCATION	B,L,S
EXCERPTA MEDICA 1975-	Worldwide Biomedical Literature/ Journals, Books, Proceedings	Excerpta Medica EXCERPTA MEDICA, DRUG LITERATURE INDEX	L

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FEDREG 1977-	Federal Government Activities Reported in FEDERAL REGISTER/ Laws, Hearings, Notices, Rules	Capitol Services, Inc. FEDERAL REGISTER ABSTRACTS	S
FOUNDATION DIRECTORY Current	Descriptions of Non-Governmental, Non-Profit Organizations/ Reports	The Foundation Center FOUNDATION DIRECTORY	L

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FSTA (FOOD SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY ABSTRACTS) 1969-	Literature of Research and Development in Food Science and Technology/ Journals, Patents, Monographs	International Food Information Service, England FOOD SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY ABSTRACTS	L,S
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GIDEP (GOVERNMENT - INDUSTRY DATA EXCHANGE PROGRAM) 1970-	Cooperative Activity between Government and Industry in Systems and Equipment Design/ Reports, Technical Data	GIDEP Operations Center -	G
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INFORM 1971-	All Phases of Business Management and Administration, Stressing General Decision Sciences/ Journals	Data Courier, Inc. -	B,L,S
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INSPEC 1969-	Worldwide Coverage of the Literature in Physics, Electrotechnology, Computer and Control Engineering/ Journals, Technical Reports Theses	Institution of Electrical Engineers PHYSICS ABSTRACTS (INSPEC A), ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC ABSTRACTS (INSPEC B), COMPUTER AND CONTROL ABSTRACTS (INSPEC C)	B,L,S

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ISMEC (INFORMATION SERVICE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING) 1973-	Literature of all Aspects of Mechanical Engineering, Production Engineering, and Engineering Management/ Journals, Books, Reports, Proceedings	Data Courier, Inc. ISMEC BULLETIN	L,S
LABORDOC 1965-	Citations Gathered from the International Labor Organization's Publications on the Labor Market/ Books, Journals, Proceedings	International Labor Organization -	L
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MAGAZINE INDEX 1977-	Extensive Coverage of the Literature of Current Affairs, General News, and Information/ Magazines	Information Access Corp. -	L
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METEOROLOGICAL AND GEOASTROPHYSICAL ABSTRACTS (MGA) 1972-	International Literature of Meteorology and Geoastrophysics/ Journals, Monographic Series, Reviews	American Meteorological Society and National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration METEOROLOGICAL AND GEOASTROPHYSICAL ABSTRACTS	L
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NTIS 1964-	Government-Sponsored Research and Development Including Sciences, Technology, and Regulatory Matters/ Technical Reports	National Technical Information Service WEEKLY GOVERNMENT REPORTS, GOVERNMENT REPORTS ANNOUNCEMENTS	B,L,S

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PAIS (PUBLIC AFFAIRS INFORMATION SERVICE) 1976-	Comprehensive Coverage of all Fields of Social Sciences, Including Political Science, Banking, Public Administration, etc./ Journals, Monographs, Pamphlets, Government Publications	Public Affairs Information Service, Inc. PUBLIC AFFAIRS INFORMATION SERVICE BULLETIN	L
PAPERCHEM 1969-	International Literature of the Pulp, Paper and Board Manufacturing Industries/ Journals, Patents, Proceedings	Institute of Paper Chemistry ABSTRACT BULLETIN	S

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